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SUBJECT: POSSIBLE CONFERENCE ED

REF: USIA 18578 CIRCULAR

1. IF US OFFICIAL WHO ACCOMPANIED THE PRESIDENT IS AT
SUFFICIENTLY HIGH LEVEL, ED MIGHT BE POSSIBLE BEGGING
TECHNICAL QUESTIONS. WOULD OFFER SEVERAL CONSIDERATIONS
HOWEVER.

(A) LINKUP WITH OTHER EE CAPITALS MIGHT NOT BE USEFUL, BUT
A HINDRANCE TO FREE FLOW OF IDEAS IN VIEW PRESENCE ON LINE
OF SOVIET INTERLOCUTORS.

(B) TELEPHONE ED WOULD BE LESS INTERESTING THAN VIDEO HOOKUP.

(C) AUGUST WOULD BE A BAD TIME HERE, OF COURSE.

MORE IMPORTANTLY, TIMING OF POSSIBLE ED SHOULD CONSIDER
UPCOMING US-SOVIET SUMMIT AND OTHER POSSIBLE VISITS AT HIGH
LEVEL PREPARATORY TO SUMMIT.

(D) PERIOD CLOSE TO DEPARTURE OF SOVIET DELEGATION FROM
MOSCOW FOR SUMMIT IN USA MIGHT BE MOST PROPITIOUS MOMENT
FOR AN ED.

(E) IN ANY CASE, WE UNCERTAIN WHETHER "SIGNIFICANT
AUDIENCE" BEYOND INTERVIEWERS WOULD BE AWARE OF
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INTERVIEW/DISCUSSION, UNLESS AUTHORITIES WERE TO THROW ED

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